THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRI KASHIRAM RANA): (a) to (c) No, Sir, According to the figures maintained by the Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence & Statistics, the export of woollen readymade garments during the last three years and the current year is as follows:

(Rs. in crore)

Year	Export of RMG Wool
1997-1998	333.44
1998-1999	357.39
1999-2000	1150.70
2000-2001 (April-Nov. 2000)	1086.79

(Source: Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence & Statistics)

Black-listed Voluntary Organisations of Andhra Pradesh

*176. SHRI N.R. DASARI: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that some of the voluntary organisations of Andhra Pradesh are black-listed for showing irregularities or misusing the funds accepted by them for implementing various Rural Development Schemes under his Ministry;

(b) if so, the names and locations of such black-listed voluntary organisations, the reasons for black-listing them and the funds allotted to each of these organisations under various schemes; and

(c) whether any further action has been taken against them?

THE MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. VENKAIAH NAIDU): (a) to (c) Some Voluntary Organisations (VOs) in Andhra Pradesh have been black-listed for irregularities or for misusing the funds accepted by them for implementing various Rural Development Schemes. The details of names/ locations of such black listed Voluntary Organisations, the reasons for the same and the funds allotted to each of the Organisations is given in the Statement (*See* below).

The blacklisting of an Organisation by M/s CAPART is a deterrent action which automatically dries up all funds for the Organisation from all Government sources. As a measure of transparency, the Organisations black-listed by M/s CAPART have also been reflected on its Web site.

In Andhra Pradesh, the blacklisted cases have been referred to the Registrar of Societies in regard to action for de-registration of the VOs. Complaints have been made to the police authorities to institute criminal cases

against VOs for recovery of funds and the matter is being pursued with the State authorities. One case has been referred for CBI investigation.

Statement

Blacklisted Voluntary Organisations of Andhra Pradesh

Category I: Misutilisation of Funds & Commission of Irregularities.

Sl. No.	Name & Address of the VO	Scheme	Sanction Amount (Rs.)	Release Amount (Rs.)
1.	Cuddapah District Gram Seva Samiti 13/310, Hazi Rahamathulla Street, Distt. Cuddapah	ARWS	2,28,500	1,08,150
		IRDP	2,40,000	1,21,150
2.	Brighter Integrated Rural Society Development 1/80-4, Lal Bahadur Nagar, distt. Anantapur	ARWSP	1,07,300	58,475
3.	Multipurpose Social Development Society, Vill. Gundlapalli, Duggannagaripalli Tq. Pulivendala Distt. Cudapah, A.P.	PC	55,800	55,800
4.	Young Evangelistic Society, 12/742 Sai Nagar, Distt. Anantapur A.P.	TM Housing	22,500	22,500
			2,72,232	1,15,458
5.	Arundhathee Yuvajana Sangham Bayyangagudem, Koyyalagudem Mandal, Distt. T. West Godavari (A.P.)	DWCRA	1,92,100	1,44,400

Category II: Defunct Organisations during Evaluation.

Sl. No.	Name & Address of VO	Scheme	Sanction Amount (Rs.)	Release Amount (Rs.)
1.	Divya Jyoti Mahila Mandali 1-9-31, Main Bazar, Allagadda, Distt. Kurnool	DWCRA	1,98,100	Nil
		OPR	27,500	27,500

Sl. No.	Name & Address of VO	Scheme	Sanction Amount (Rs.)	Release Amount (Rs.)
2	Rural Education Agricultural and Community Health Society, Dharmavaram, 16-3218A, Anantapur	CRSP	1,61,920 22,500	80,960 22,500

Category III: Cases of serious lapses detected prior to sanction/releases.

Sl. No.	Name & Address of the VO	Scheme	Sanction Amount (Rs.)	Release Amount (Rs.)
1.	Health and Welfare Service Centre Vill. Gaddipadu, Pedakakni Mandal, Distt. Guntur	Nil	Nil	Nil
2.	Jyoti Mahila Mandali Kodur, Cuddapah	Nil	Nil	Nil
3.	Rural Development and Integrated Social Evolution Society, 3-6-551/1 Himayat Nagar, Distt. Hyderabad	Nil	Nil	Nil
4.	Rural Labour Welfare Board, Distt. Cuddapah	Nil	Nil	Nil
5.	Nagamani Film and TV Training Institute, Madadam, Mangalagiri (SO), Distt. Guntur	Nil	Nil	Nil
6.	Girijana Labour Welfare Contract Society, Railway Kodur, Distt. Cuddapah	TM	15,000	Nil
7.	Nav Jeevan Rural Development Society, 9-237, Akkayapalli Road, Mariapuram, Distt. Cuddapah	Nil	Nil	Nil

Sl. No.	Name & Address of the VO	Scheme	Sanction Amount (Rs.)	Release Amount (Rs.)
8.	Rayalaseema Nellore and Prakasam, Districts Weaker Sections Rural Development Society, Hazi Ramthula ST. Distt. Cuddapah	Nil	Nil	Nil

Category IV: Cases of Non-cooperation/Misconduct

Sl. No.	Name & Address of the VO	Scheme	Sanction Amount (Rs.)	Release Amount (Rs.)
1.	Rural Awakening Development Organisation, Sai Nagar, Distt. Anantapur,	TM	10,500	10,500
2.	Society for Promotion of Health, 3/958, YMR Cooperative Colony, Proddalur Tq. Distt. Cuddapah	TM	33,000	33,000
3.	Cuddapah District Harijana Christava Venukabadina Jatula Vimochana Samiti 21/46, Seven Road, Distt. Cuddapah	PC	1,35,717	1,35,717
4.	Nirmala Weaker Section Mahila Mandali, Kothapet, Cunturvari Thota, Distt. Guntur	ARWSP	4,21,200	4,21,200
5.	Rural People Development Society, Koyyalagudem Vill. Chowtuppal Mandal, Nalgonda	JRY	5,36,000	2,50,000
6.	Social Welfare Society for Weaker Community, Rural Muddanur R.S., Distt. Cuddapah	DWCRA TM	1,94,100 1,94,100	10,500 10,500

Sl. No.	Name & Address of the VO	Scheme	Sanction Amount (Rs.)	Release Amount (Rs.)
7.	Talamaria Integrated Rural Development and Social Educational Society, Talamaria, Sathya Sai Taluk, Distt. Anantapur	ARWSP DWCRA IRDP ORP TM	1,46,500 1,33,275 4,23,010 26,500 53,500	79,000 1,33,275 2,18,010 26,500 53,500
8.	Society for Natural Studies, 206, Khanapuram Haveli, Industrial Area, Distt. Khammam	DWCRA	1,44,730	1,40,530
9.	Social Service Society, Ramachandrapuram, Devarajupalli, Tq. Kamlapuram, PO Appayapalli, Distt. Cuddapah	IRDP PC TM	1,33,200 1,44,000 15,000	67,487 50,000 15,000

Strike by coal miners regarding privatisation of the industry

*177. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) the policy of Government with regard to the mining and exploration of coal as at present;

(b) whether Government have taken the decision to privatise the coal industry;

(c) if so, whether the workers in various coal mines have been on strike on the issue of privatisation of coal mines; and

(d) what remedial steps Government propose to take in this regard as well as to upgrade the coal sector?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI SYED SHAHNAWAZ HUSSAIN): (a) and (b) Private coal mines were nationalized in 1972 and 1973. In 1993, private sector participation in coal mining was allowed by allowing coal mining for captive use by companies engaged in production of iron and steel, power generation and washing of coal obtained from a mine. Later on, companies engaged in cement production were also allowed coal mining for their captive use.